

Family Council Matters Newsletter

MVH-Minneapolis

May 2014



Summer Fun at the MVH-Minneapolis

River Boat Trips

If you are interested in accompanying your loved one on a delightful river boat trip this summer, please contact his or her Recreation Therapist as soon as possible. Family members who decide to join in the fun should arrive at the MVH-Minneapolis by 10:00am for a 10:30am-ish departure time. At 11:00am, everyone will be enjoying a bag lunch (provided by the Vets Home) on Harriet Island. Then the boat leaves the dock at 12:00 Noon. Everyone will get back to the MVH Minneapolis by about 2:30pm. And of course, residents and families are welcome to purchase anything extra on the boat.



- 6-1 Friday, July 11th, Jennifer W, 612-548-5753, Jennifer.weisz@state.mn.us
- 6-2 Friday, June 20th, Loide Duval 612-548-5761, Loide.krueger@state.mn.us
- 6-3 Friday, August 8th, Christa M, 612-548-5762, Christa.michel@state.mn.us
- 17-2 Tuesday, June 24th, Sara G, 612-548-5756, Sara.grogg@state.mn.us
- 17-3 Tuesday, July 1st, Jenn T, 612-548-5760, Jennifer.taylor@state.mn.us
- 19-2 Wednesday, August 20th, Thor P, 612-548-5817, Thor.prosser@state.mn.us
- 19-3 Wednesday, July 16th, Olena H, 612-548-5757, Olena.hanson@state.mn.us
- 19-4 Wednesday, July 30th, Jenna B, 612-548-5754, Jenna.burns@state.mn.us

Memorial Day Program

On Monday, May 26th, the Memorial Day Program will be held in the Atrium area of Building 19. The program starts at 2:00pm. Commissioner Shelito is scheduled to speak, after which refreshments will be served. As in past years, this event is sponsored by the American Legion District 5.



Luau Pig Roast

On Friday, July 25th, a Luau Pig Roast will be held in the courtyard area between Buildings 17 and 19. Watch for more details soon.



Please Join Us for the
Monthly Family Council Meeting on

Saturday, May 10, 2014

**1st -- A Social Half-Hour
From Noon Till 12:30**

**Followed by the Meeting
12:30pm till 2:00pm**

Community Room, Building 19

Speaker:

**Lecia Heinen, Director
Behavioral Health Services**

Our condolences go out to the families and friends whose loved one recently passed away.

2014 Meeting Dates Second Saturday of Each Month at 12:30pm

May 10
June 14

July 12
August 9
September 13

October 11
November 8
December 13

MVH-Minneapolis Ombudsman
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This and That

Save the Date!

At the Family Council Meeting this month, members will vote on the 6th Annual Family Council Potluck Picnic. Assuming the vote is yes (and who can say no to this totally fun day, eh?), the picnic will be on Sunday, August 17th, 2014, starting at 12:00 noon. Watch for more details soon, and Save that Date!



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